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Report Highlights:

On March 15, the Israeli Ministry of Agriculture published the 2010 quota utilization for agricultural products imported from the US. Data show the average utilized quota stands on 16%.

General Information:

2010 Quota Utilization – from 1/1/10 to 3/15/10 – First Comes First Served

Product Descripti on	Quota No.	Unit	Quant. For Allocatio n	License s Allocat ed	% Quota Utilization	Actually Import ed	Note
A. From the U.S.							
Cheese (for importers)	416	tons	312	312	27%	84	All quota allocate d
Cheese (Industry)	416	tons	337	308	48%	161	
Apples	819	tons	4,000	4,000	60%	2,384	All quota allocate d
Pears	821	tons	1,364	1,364	69%	936	All quota allocate d
Quinces	820	tons	739	0	0%	0	
Sunflower seeds	1206	tons	3,000	1,480	16%	483	
Peanuts	1202	tons	284	207	12%	35	
Chick Peas	725	tons	211	211	5%	10	All quota allocate d
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Popcorn	1024	tons	180	180	0%	0	d
Onions	707	tons	200	0	0%	0	
Garlic	708	tons	143	0	0%	0	
Raisins	818	tons	1,294	831	29%	372	
Prunes	824	tons	2,000	1,720	31%	614	
Tomatoes	706	tons	200	0	0%	0	ļ
Table Eggs	422	unit s	4,697,184	0	0%	0	
Shrimps	306	tons	50	10	7%	3.4	
Calamari	307	tons	40	0	0%	0	
Fresh	303	tons	344	0	0%	0	

Water Fish (Frozen)												
Other Frozen Fish	3031	tons	6,014	0	0%	0						
Average Utilized Quota	16%											
B. From the EU				_		_						
Cheese	407 7	tons	670	430	32%	214						
Apples	808 5	tons	3,280	2,480	48%	1,574						
Pears	808 7	tons	2,140	506	4%	82						
Quinces	808 6	tons	380	280	0%	0						
Onions	703 9	tons	2,300	1,565	56%	1,295						
Prunes	813 5	tons	730	400	0%	0						
Pumpkin & water melon seeds	121 3	tons	560	0	0%	0						
Average Utilized Quota	20%											

Product Descripti on	Quota No.	Unit	Quant. For Allocatio n	License s Allocat ed	% Quota Utilization	Actually Import ed	Note
C. Canada							
Canary seeds	1012	tons	300	87	21%	64	
Other Frozen Fish	3033	tons	200	0	0%	0	
Chick Peas	7134	tons	100	100	0%	0	All quota allocate d
Average Utilized Quota			,	7%		, -	12

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es									
Cheese	4075	tons	6	00	311		8%	45	
Prunes	8133	tons	1,5	00	180	1.	2%	180	
Average Utilized Quota					10%				
E. Mexico									
Chick Peas	713	33 toi	ns 3	00	300	47%		140	All quota allocate d